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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the PTOL 85 Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due, dated September 27, 2005, and the accompanying PTOL-37 Notice of Allowability. The issue fee will be paid under separate cover.

The Detailed Action section following the PTOL-37 recites at paragraph 2 the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance, which substantially follow the allowed independent claims. To the extent that those reasons are intended to mirror the allowed claims, error is seen at line 5-6 of that paragraph (at page 2) respecting claim 1: claim 1 recites measurement reports sent from the mobile station to the network. An identical error is seen at line 15 (at page 2) respecting claim 2. Further, in the reason referring to claim 34, error is seen at page 5, lines 12-15 respecting the verifying means and the report means. The report means of claim 34 is not responsive to the verifying means as recited in the Examiner's statement, which is seen to erroneously recite an element of claim 29 rather than of claim 34.

The Applicant asserts that the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance, as well as the Applicant's failure to submit further remarks respecting other allowed claims, are not

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to be construed as an estoppel against the patentee or an acquiescence in the Examiner's statement, as recited at MPEP 1302.14. Entry of this paper into the prosecution record is respectfully requested.

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